

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

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### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS**

The features and advantages of the invention will be appreciated upon reference to the following drawings, in which:

FIG. 1 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 1 and comparative example A according to the invention;

FIG. 2 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 1 and comparative example B according to the invention;

FIG. 3 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 5 according to the invention;

FIG. 4 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 6 according to the invention;

FIG. 5 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 7 according to the invention;

FIG. 6 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 8 according to the invention;

FIG. 7 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 9 according to the invention; and

FIG. 8 is a flow curve presenting rheological data of example 25 according to the invention.

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### **DESCRIPTION OF ILLUSTRATIVE EMBODIMENTS**